

**PERSONNEL AND TRAINING BUREAU**

**NOTICE**  
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**TO:** All Concerned Commanding Officers

**FROM:** Commanding Officer, In-Service Training Division

**SUBJECT:** 2019 MULTI-ASSAULT COUNTER-TERRORISM ACTION CAPABILITIES  
(MACTAC) IN-SERVICE TRAINING DIVISION SCHEDULE

The schedules for the 2019 MACTAC Squad Leader and Combined MACTAC and Breaching Assault Tactics (C.O.M.B.A.T.) courses, along with a description of each course, is attached to this Notice.

The C.O.M.B.A.T. course is a 10-hour training day for uniformed sergeants and police officers who have already attended the MACTAC Basic or Recruit courses. This course combines the 6-hour POST certified MACTAC Update with the 3-hour LAPD Tactical Entry Tools for Patrol (Breaching Tactics) training classes.

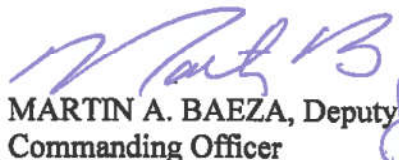
**This is a primary duty assignment. Students shall be carried as "LP" on the designated date.** Any scheduling conflicts are to be resolved in favor of this assignment. The only acceptable reasons for non-attendance are prescheduled vacation, court, military leave or illness. The MACTAC Squad Leader course will be held at the Ahmanson Recruit Training Center, 5651 West Manchester Avenue, Westchester, CA 90045. C.O.M.B.A.T. will be held at the Davis Training Facility, 12001 Blucher Avenue, Granada Hills, CA 91344.

For further information concerning these courses, please contact Sergeant Barbara Riggs or Officer John Kong, MACTAC Unit, In-Service Training Division, at (818) 832-3775.

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Attachments

### **MACTAC Overview / MACTAC BASIC Course**

The Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) has developed training that provides an immediate and effective tactical response to multiple organized and sophisticated critical incidents. This training expands the traditional police response to single events through the creation of dynamic squads with specific cross-training to effect "assault, support, rescue, and force protection missions". The concept was developed after observing events that took place in Mumbai, India. The LAPD has taken a leadership role and responded by developing the MACTAC concept.

The concept of MACTAC provides the means to allow officers to spontaneously and effectively control single or multiple threats as quickly as possible by using small unit infantry tactics to immediately apply pressure on assailants versus waiting and holding a perimeter. The greatest impact of MACTAC is that it allows prompt, cooperative training and response among multiple agencies. It provides the LAPD with the ability to provide high-impact squads able to respond to multiple, simultaneous critical incidents in Los Angeles and the surrounding area.

With LAPD in-service personnel having been trained in MACTAC BASIC, a modified course is currently part of the Recruit Officer training curriculum during the Academy. All MACTAC BASIC courses are now offered in an on-demand basis through requesting agency(s).

### **MACTAC SQUAD LEADER Course**

This course is designed to develop the basic skills in leading a squad and managing Department resources and personnel. Students consist of lieutenants, sergeants and supervisory detectives.

### **C.O.M.B.A.T. Course**

This course combines the 6-hour POST certified MACTAC Update with the 3-hour LAPD Tactical Entry Tools for Patrol (Breaching Tactics) training classes. Students will review the basic skills in MACTAC and demonstrate proficiency in the ability to immediately deploy as a contact team or squad with the capability to locate and neutralize violent assaults and/or terrorist acts. Students are introduced to the 5.11 Active Patrol Breaching Kit and provided with the knowledge, skills and techniques to successfully breach a door and window.

Commanding Officers are requested to nominate personnel for this course. The first and last name, rank, and serial number of personnel nominated to attend **shall be submitted on an Intradepartmental Correspondence, Form 15.02**, to the MACTAC Unit, In-Service Training Division, at the Davis Training Facility, via mail (Stop 412). The Form 15.02 shall be approved by the concerned Commanding Officer and must be received by the MACTAC Unit 45 days prior to the course date. Subsequent Training Orders will be published for each course assigning personnel selected to attend.

**Special Events / Field Exercises**

MACTAC Cadre instructors may be requested to assist and facilitate in special events such as active shooter field exercises. This request **shall be submitted on an Intradepartmental Correspondence, Form 15.02**, to the Commanding Officer, In-Service Training Division. The request shall include the planned scope of training and whether signage, training weapons, actors and support personnel will be provided or requested by the concerned Area/Division. Requesting coordinators are also reminded to submit a Site Safety Plan and relevant permits to Personnel Division, Medical Liaison Section for evaluation and approval 30 days prior to the planned event. The requesting Area/Division will be responsible for providing an adequate amount of Safety Monitors during the event.

## 2019 MACTAC Training Schedule

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Course Date	Time	DP	Course Title	Hrs	Course Location
January 26	0630	1	C.O.M.B.A.T.	10	DTF, 12001 Blucher Ave, Granada Hills, CA
February 9	0630	1	C.O.M.B.A.T.	10	DTF, 12001 Blucher Ave, Granada Hills, CA
February 14	1000	1	MACTAC SQUAD LEADER	10	ARTC, 5651 W. Manchester Ave, LA, CA
February 23	0630	2	C.O.M.B.A.T.	10	DTF, 12001 Blucher Ave, Granada Hills, CA
March 9	0630	2	C.O.M.B.A.T.	10	DTF, 12001 Blucher Ave, Granada Hills, CA
March 14	1000	2	MACTAC SQUAD LEADER	10	ARTC, 5651 W. Manchester Ave, LA, CA
March 30	0630	3	C.O.M.B.A.T.	10	DTF, 12001 Blucher Ave, Granada Hills, CA
April 11	1000	4	MACTAC SQUAD LEADER	10	ARTC, 5651 W. Manchester Ave, LA, CA
April 27	0630	4	C.O.M.B.A.T.	10	DTF, 12001 Blucher Ave, Granada Hills, CA
May 11	0630	4	C.O.M.B.A.T.	10	DTF, 12001 Blucher Ave, Granada Hills, CA
June 8	0630	5	C.O.M.B.A.T.	10	DTF, 12001 Blucher Ave, Granada Hills, CA
June 22	0630	6	C.O.M.B.A.T.	10	DTF, 12001 Blucher Ave, Granada Hills, CA
September 7	0630	9	C.O.M.B.A.T.	10	DTF, 12001 Blucher Ave, Granada Hills, CA
September 21	0630	9	C.O.M.B.A.T.	10	DTF, 12001 Blucher Ave, Granada Hills, CA
September 26	1000	9	MACTAC SQUAD LEADER	10	ARTC, 5651 W. Manchester Ave, LA, CA
October 5	0630	10	C.O.M.B.A.T.	10	DTF, 12001 Blucher Ave, Granada Hills, CA
October 19	0630	10	C.O.M.B.A.T.	10	DTF, 12001 Blucher Ave, Granada Hills, CA
November 2	0630	11	C.O.M.B.A.T.	10	DTF, 12001 Blucher Ave, Granada Hills, CA
November 16	0630	11	C.O.M.B.A.T.	10	DTF, 12001 Blucher Ave, Granada Hills, CA
November 21	1000	11	MACTAC SQUAD LEADER	10	ARTC, 5651 W. Manchester Ave, LA, CA
December 7	0630	12	C.O.M.B.A.T.	10	DTF, 12001 Blucher Ave, Granada Hills, CA
December 14	0630	12	C.O.M.B.A.T.	10	DTF, 12001 Blucher Ave, Granada Hills, CA